

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 17, with the following rewritten paragraph:

As shown in Figure 1, one embodiment of the present invention includes a first base 10 having a base wall 16 and opposing side walls 12-15 which are connected to base wall 16. An aperture 20 is located in base 10. Aperture 20 may be sized to encompass an electrical outlet such as duplex 22. Side walls 12-15 and wall 16 are arranged to form a storage chamber 26 wherein at least one of the walls 12-15 may further function as a support surface for electrical components.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 4, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Base 10 also includes a plurality of opposingly located keyways 30-33. The keyways may be located on concave sections 39 and 41 so as to form channels 34 and 36. The channels provide clearance for locking pins or members which will be discussed below. Access to the channels may be restricted or blocked by sections 47, 49, 51 and 61 as shown in Figures 1 and 4. This enhances tamper-resistance and the security of the device. While the keyways are shown as being located outside

and along opposing edges of storage ~~cavity 24~~ chamber 26, as shown in Figure 1, the keyways may be positioned inside storage chamber 26 as well as shown in Figure 3. In this embodiment, the keyways are located on front walls 12' and 14' inwardly offset with respect to walls 12 and 14[.] Walls 12 and 12' and 14 and 14', respectively, form opposing inward facing channels 18 and 19. In this way, chamber 26 provides the clearance for the locking members. Mounting holes 4-43 are also provided on base 10 which permit base 10 to be mounted to a support surface by threaded fasteners and the like. As shown in Figure 6, mounting holes 40-43 and may be arranged to permit base 10 to be mounted to wall studs 200 and 201 which are typically 18 spaced inches apart.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 2 with the following rewritten paragraph:

The appliance 100 is then mounted to base 70 in any number of ways known to those of skill in the art. Once mounted to, base 70, base 70 is positioned so that the locking members are inserted through the keyways and the base is then lowered until the shank of the locking member bottoms out in the slotted portion of the keyway. The head portion of the locking member, since it is larger in size than the slot, holds base 70 securely

in place. A lock 120 may then be used to secure the system by threading fastener 122 through opening 124 in base 10 until the ~~faster~~ fastener fully engages internally threaded bore 26 in base 70. In addition, base 70 is sized so as to cover chamber 26 and the keyways. In addition, a substantially continuous rim 130 is formed around the device by the sidewalls, and extensions 90 and 92 and sections 47 and 49. The rim 130 substantially enclosed chamber 26 and the channels. Alternatively, lip 109 and side walls 12, 14 and 15 may be used to form a substantially continuous rim 130 as well as shown in Figure 3. This, as stated above, improves the tamper resistance of the device.